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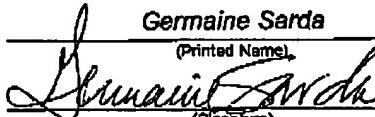
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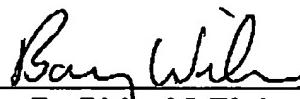
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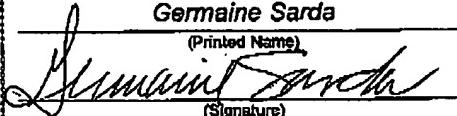
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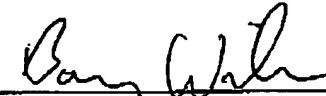
INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Sir:

The undersigned received a telephone call from Examiner Li on February 18, 2005. The Examiner discussed the possibility of allowable subject matter that included an amplification control. In response, the undersigned prepared and filed a set of claims on February 18, 2005 that reflected the discussion with Examiner Li. After receiving the claims, Examiner Li contacted the undersigned and indicated that she would seek authorization for an allowance from her supervisor. There was no further discussion with the examiner.

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